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Applicants: Timothy Heighway et al.

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For : METHOD FOR THE COMPILATION OF BUS PACKETS  
FOR ISOCHRONOUS DATA TRANSMISSION VIA A  
DATA BUS, AND APPARATUS FOR CARRYING OUT  
THE METHOD

Examiner: Christopher E. Lee

Art Unit: 2112

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated 5 October 2005, the Applicants hereby submit the following amendment with the accompanying remarks.

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**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.

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